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SALE

Lowe Bros. Paints & Varnishes
It's Economical to paint regularly

Burge wants your COUNTRY PRODUCE



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5x12 Congoleum \$2.95
5x7 1-2 2.19
6x9 1.95
Only 50¢ at this special Price! Hurry!

Fertilizer Headquarters

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OLD RELIABLE BRANDS

BAUGH'S - V.C.

Southern States Cooperative

In Our Fresh Meat Dept.
Beef - Pork - Veal
Lamb - Oysters

Fresh Home Killed - And They Are RIGHT

Anniversary Sale Values In Burge's Grocery Department

Mothers Cocoa	2 lb. box	15
Jell-O	Box	05
Kellogg's Corn Flakes	2 for	15
Peanut Butter	2 lb. jar	25
Mustard	Quart jar	10
Mayonnaise	Majestic Qt.	39
Salad Dressing	Majestic Qt.	25
Spread Relish	Quarts	25
Sugar	lb.	05

COFFEE

Maxwell House	lb.	25
White House		23
Burge's Special (Vacuum Packed)	lb.	25
Luzianne	lb.	75
Luzianne	3 lb. bucket	75
Burge's Ground or Grain	lb.	10
Super Suds	1 Palmolive soap Free	10
Snow King Baking Powder - 10¢ size, 2 for		11
Rumford Baking Powder	23	
Lettuce	2 for	15
Lemons	doz.	19
Swift's Jewel Lard	lb.	10

FLOUR

Carnation	24 lb.	59
Piedmont	24 lb.	75

H. M. BURGE CO., INC.

Appomattox, Virginia

Headquarters, School

Drive Carefully! Promote Safety
Prevent Sorrow

Sweaters Ladies 49c up, Men's
Children's 25, 49, 89

Time for SCHOOL and SHOES
Peter's Diamond Brand for the whole
Come to see us for all your shoe needs
Good New Stock Latest Styles

Nylon Hose
\$1.00
Ladies Hose - in all the
new wanted shades
49, 59, 69, 75, & 1.00

Children's Dresses 25-49¢
Ladies Dresses 49-98¢
(Printed percales)

Butterick Patterns 15¢ up
Prints 10¢, 15¢, 20¢
Chambray solid and stripe
Cotton Plaid
Spun Rayon
Rayon Jersey
Fancy Cretone
Curtain Scrim
Bed Spreads 49c, 59c
Candlewick Spreads \$1.49
Towels 5c, 10c, 15c
Parasols fancy
Buttons for all your needs
Outing fancy and solid
O. N. T. Thread 3 for

Men's Furnishings

MEN'S HATS
NEW FALL STYLES
98¢-1.49-2.25
Men and young men's
ready made SUITS
Priced To Close Out Quick
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Bowling Leagues
To Start Soon

Bowling leagues for men and
women will be resumed at the James
Alley the first week in
September. Plans call for four
teams and eight men's teams.
The Pumpkin men under
coach, defeated a team
of "Engineers," while
the Appomattox ladies defeated the
"Indies."

TIMES - VIRGINIAN

A Complete
County Newspaper

A Live Weekly Newspaper Serving the Heart of Virginia's Great Dark Tobacco Belt, at Historic Appomattox Where War Ended April 9, 1865

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Father Darkleaf's Column

Darkleaf was over to call
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School Football Team Prepares For Opener

Meet Lawrenceville There
Next Friday Night,
Sept. 27

Headed by captain Guy Cabell and
a nucleus of veterans from last
year's team, the Appomattox high
school football squad, 25 strong, has
buckled down to intensive training
in preparation for the opening game
next Friday night against the powerful
Lawrenceville high school team
at Lawrenceville.

The new coach, Charles Mann,
took over the squad Monday and has
been drilling on fundamentals each
afternoon this week. Coach Mann is
a former Emory and Henry College
player, and succeeds Charles Hill,
who resigned after last year's season.
Mann played one year at Emory
and Henry under the famous
Pelle Jackson, and although this is
his first year of coaching, he has
already made a most favorable im-
pression on the Appomattox squad.
The team is looking to him to
develop a credible eleven.

So far the squad seems to shape
up with fairly good line talent, but
with a shortage of backfield material.
Kicking and passing are the im-
mediate problems facing the coach.
Among those on the squad:
Ends: Captain Guy Cabell, Julian
Hess, Raymond Crawley, Shearer
Robertson;
Tackles: Jack Godsey, Robert Al-
len Sears, Buster Moore, Joe Fer-
rell;
Guards: Buck Wallace, Syd Con-
ner, Jimmy Dickerson, Joe Ferrell;
Centers: Chester Ligon, R. B.
Hudgins, Jr.;
Backs: Jack Turnman, Kennon
Kinney, Frank Bryant, Henry Gar-
rett, Pete Evans, Roy Paulton, Paul
Ligon and Dick Godsey.
The schedule follows:
September 27, night game at Law-
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October 11, Clarksville, there
October 18, Fluvanna, there
October 25, pending
November 1, Blackstone, here

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October 16 Registration Day

Wednesday, October 16, has been
designated as Registration Day for
all men 21 to 35, inclusive, under
the draft law enacted by Congress
and signed by the President. The
regular election precincts will be used
as registration places, with the
election officials acting as officials.
Charles Crawley, secretary of the
Appomattox county electoral board,
will attend a meeting next week in
Richmond, when details of the regis-
tration procedure will be explained
to the election officials.

Holiday Lake Closed For Season

The bath house and concession at
Holiday Lake has been closed for the
current season. Sunday was the last
day of operation. Boats owned by
the state, have been stored until the
opening next spring. However, pri-
vate parties may continue to use the
picnic grounds at the lake over the
remainder of the fall. Life guards
will not be available until next sea-
son.

U. D. C. To Meet With Miss Jones

The Appomattox Chapter of the
United Daughters of the Confed-
eracy will meet Thursday afternoon at
3:30 with the Misses Nina and Anna
Jones. Mrs. B. C. Baldwin, of
Lynchburg, Virginia Division Presi-
dent, will be the guest speaker. She
will be accompanied by Mrs. Ned
A. Wagner, Mrs. James A. Scott,
and Mrs. S. W. West.
A full attendance of the mem-
bership is desired.

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November 20, Farmville, there

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Appomattox Wins Skyline Play-Off Series

Making a clean sweep of honors in
the Skyline league, the Appomattox
baseball team won two straight ball
games last week-end from Piedmont
league pennant, already won.

Nat Reaser knocked a pair of
home runs, to couple with Louie
Ciala's pitching, to defeat Piedmont
5 to 4 in ten innings at Bedford
Saturday.

With Junior Board on the mound,
Appomattox made it two straight by
winning Sunday's game here, by a
score of 9 to 5.

The play-off trophy will be pre-
sented to the Appomattox team at a
league banquet tonight in Lynch-
burg.

Although Appomattox has chal-
lenged the Lynchburg Senators, of
the Virginia league, to a series, it is
probable that no further games will
be played. Lynchburg has already an-
nounced a series with Tazewell to last
over this week-end.

Bus On Fire

Only slight damage was done and
no one was hurt, when a school bus,
driven by Bruce Paulton, caught on
fire last Friday afternoon, between
Appomattox and Evergreen. The
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Work Progressing at Historic Surrender Grounds Here

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C. W. Smith To Direct Roosevelt Campaign Here

County Democratic Com-
mittee Speaking On
October 1

At a meeting of the Democratic
Committee of Appomattox County at
the Court House last Saturday, the
committee named C. W. Smith, com-
mittee clerk, to be the campaign man-
ager in this county for the Roosevelt-
Wallace-Byrd-Dewey ticket.

L. F. Ferguson, trial justice, was
named as finance manager for the
campaign.

Following a precedent of many
years standing, the committee decid-
ed to have political speaking here
on the opening day of the October
term of the circuit court, Tuesday,
October 1st. This practice has usu-
ally been followed in presidential
campaigns and has always attracted
a large assemblage. Four years ago,
Congressman Patrick Henry Dewey
and Mayor Fulmer Bright, of Peter-
burg and Richmond, respectively,
were the speakers.

The committee authorized W. M.
Abbio, chairman of the County Dem-
ocratic Committee, to contact the
speakers' Bureau of State Campaign
Headquarters and secure a speaker
for the October 1st rally.

"Roosevelt buttons" are already in
evidence around Appomattox, and
campaign director Smith advises that
a full supply of material to wage
an aggressive drive, will be secured.

Mr. Smith also stresses the im-
portance of registration of new voters
who have come of age since Janu-
ary 1st, 1939, and the transfer of
eligible voters to the proper precinct.

Attends Reunion

Mrs. Mary Wilmer will attend a
family reunion at Amherst Sunday.
Five generations will be present, in-
cluding Mrs. Mary E. Bowman, 94;
Mrs. Ora L. Burford, of Amherst;
Mrs. Dorothy W. Brown and Mr.
Master Wayne, of Rosnoke, and
Mrs. Wilmer, of Appomattox.

Jefferson To Preach Here Sunday

It was announced today that A.
G. Jefferson, Lynchburg layman,
will speak at 11 A. M. this Sunday
at Liberty Baptist church. Mr.
Jefferson is well known here and a
large congregation is expected to
hear his message.

WPA Lunch Rooms To Open October 1

WPA lunch rooms are expected to
be opened in Appomattox county
schools by October 1st, it was an-
nounced today by Mrs. Mildred Al-
vis. The lunch room at the Stone-
wall has already opened. Mrs. Al-
vis stated that the early opening of
the Stone-wall lunch room was made
possible by the fact that the Bibbs
Grocery Co. donated needed sup-
plies.

Enrollment Of 820 At Local High School

Professor L. Crawley Out-
lines Courses of
Study For Year

Preliminary enrollment figures at
the Appomattox high school show an
increase over the same period last
year. Professor L. Crawley, stated
this morning that the enrollment at
this date was 820, with 429 in the
high school department and 398 in
the grades.

This is about 35 more than the
opening enrollment last year. Other
students are expected to arrive and
well the total enrollment to around
850.

Professor Crawley also pointed to
a new type of instructional course
being used this year, called "Futures."
This class is intended to aid
students in making a successful
choice of a career after graduation,
and the course will include health,
home, country, occupation, guidance,
and scholarship. The aim will be to
develop the full abilities of each pu-
pil.

The aims of the modern teaching
set-up were presented last Thursday
night by Professor Crawley in an
especially interesting address before
the Appomattox Lions Club. Pro-
fessor Crawley pointed out that the
modern class room is an example of
true democracy at work, wherein the
teacher is not a "dictator" as in the
"reading, writing and 'rithmetic'"
days, but a leader seeking to arouse
the real interest of each pupil in the
possible development of a complete
personality. He stressed the impor-
tance of the "Rich Young Rule" as a bill-
ing parable as an example of one
who had many attainments but who
"complete" development. He said
that the success or failure of democ-
racy as a way of life may well de-
pend upon the class room. His ad-
dress was one of the most interest-
ing heard by the Lions in their
monthly meetings.

Price Now Local Boy Scoutmaster

Alfred Price has been named Boy
Scoutmaster in Appomattox, to suc-
ceed John Yaman, who recently
moved to South Hill. John Taylor
will serve as assistant Scoutmaster,
and Ned Hancock and Robert Lynch
will also aid with the troop.

Scoutmaster Price announces that
through the cooperation of R. L.
Burke, the former White Front show
room has been made available as a
meeting place for the Boy Scouts.
He also states that a stove and
lighting will be arranged.

There are 21 boys enrolled in the
local Boy Scout troop. Three boys
have recently joined. The Scouts
meet each Friday evening.

Local P.T.A. Plans Next Meeting

The P. T. A. of the Appomattox
high school will meet on Tuesday,
September 24, at 3:30 P. M. in the
school library. All members are asked
to attend.



West view of Old Appomattox Court House, Surrender Grounds, taken in April, 1865, showing Federal soldiers and tents on court grounds, with Appomattox citizens on court house steps. (Photo by U.S. Army Signal Corps.)